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My thoughts on this whole thing is IT'S LUDACRIS!!!!! Just because Bill Gates has come up with a superior operating system and other software doesn't mean you should loot him, ruin his product and destroy the public's computers. Even if you do decide to tear Bill Gate's empire apart it's not going to help these people, like Mac Computers, trying to introduce an inferior product. The only reasons these people get 'shut out' because of his 'monopoly' is because they can't come up with a product that even comes CLOSE to Bill Gate's OS. I mean, look at mac computers. They are slow, there is no software for them becuase they're slow and it's not very user friendly. All your doing with seperating Microsoft is making Windows less user friendly because the two companies are manufacturing one half of the old MS....What's that going to do? It's going to force people who aren't so good with computers to stop using them entirely. As for the rest of us? Well. We'll either buy MS compatible or we'll buy nothing else until there is an OS that can compete with the number of games, hardware and other software products (and quality of products) that Microsoft has. I can tell you, you'll never catch me with Mac.

In conclusion. Leave Bill Gates the hell alone.